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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: <b>BUHIMSCHI, et al</b>	ATTY DKT NO. P-120561.1(UTI)
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<b>TITLE: FREE RADICAL SCAVENGERS OR PROMOTERS THEREOF AS THERAPEUTIC ADJUVANTS IN PRETERM PARTURITION</b>	

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This Amendment is filed in response to your Non-Final Office Action dated May 5, 2004.